

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Kokubo et al. Confirmation No.: 8005  
Appln. No.: 09/842,466 Group No.: 1616  
Filed: 04/26/2001 Examiner: H. Sheikh  
For: SOLID PREPARATION COATED WITH A FILM COATING  
LAYER AND FILM COATING AGENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two months to respond to the Office Action dated September 10, 2007.
2. Applicant is  a small entity;  other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Other Than Small Entity</u>
Two months	\$460.00

*\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.*

A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.  
 Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.  
 Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,



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